

Town Council Priorities for Fiscal Year 2013-14

- 1. **Fund Political Commitment Areas:** Keep political commitments and current baseline funding (per the FY 2013-14 budget) to Tourism / Marketing; Transit and Housing.
- 2. Revenue Generation: Focus on revenue generation, through:
 - a. Support Economic Development financially and otherwise, at least at the FY 2013-14 level, including: (a) filling a permanent Community & Economic Development Director position; and (b) finalizing the Zoning Code Update.
 - b. TOT education and enforcement (a funded effort)
 - c. Additional revenue raising through the proposed TBID effort.
- 3. **Recreation**: See the MLR process through completion in the summer / fall 2013.
- 4. **Effective Management:** Provide sufficient resources and support to the Town staff to effectively do their work:
 - a. Continue commitment to IT funding of no less than the FY 2013-14 baseline. (Sufficient for an IT maintenance contract and limited replacement funds.)
 - b. Support additional funding for the finance system replacement. (Staff will provide recommendations to the Town Council in the fall of 2013.)
 - c. Fund sufficient staffing in the Town's departments that provide critical services:
 - i. <u>Finance</u>: Currently fully staffed, but the organizational structure is currently being evaluated. (Staff expects to provide recommendations to the Town Council in the fall of 2013.)
 - ii. <u>Public Safety</u>: Increase uniform staffing when ongoing resources become available; do not reduce further.
 - d. Encourage increase in productivity without reducing service levels.
- 5. **Infrastructure**: Enhance road maintenance budget to \$750,000 in FY 2013-14 when funding becomes available. Enhance funding to at least \$1 million annually once funding becomes available.